



**Missouri Association for Community Action  
Jefferson City, MO**

<b>Project Title</b>	Missourians Building Assets
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<b>AFI Grant Amount</b>	\$1,000,000
<b>Nonfederal Support</b>	\$1,000,000
<b>Project Period</b>	September 2001 – September 2006
<b>Highlights</b>	Missouri Association for Community Action is offering 130 IDAs for homeownership, microenterprise, and post-secondary education. The match rate is \$2 to \$1, up to \$2,000 in participant savings over 30 months. In addition to core training, services include employment support, childcare, transportation, medical, crisis management, structured planning exercises, mentoring, peer support, counseling, and credit repair.
<b>Target Population</b>	State of Missouri.
<b>Grantee/Collaborative Description</b>	Missouri Association for Community Action is the state association office for nonprofit community action agencies in Missouri. As such, the association's 17 community action agencies serve as partner agencies on this project. Participant IDAs are held at an array of banks in the area, including Bank Midwest, Central Bank, US Bank, West Plains Bank, Farmers Bank of Northern Missouri, First Midwest Bank, Community First Bank, and Bank of Purdin. The project reserve account is also held at multiple banks: Premier Bank, Edward Jones, Jefferson Bank, and US Bank.